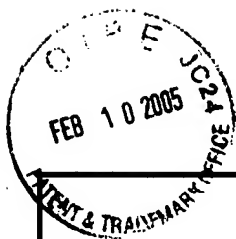


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1. More than 16 months have passed since the filing in the above-identified application.
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